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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Filing Date:	September 26, 2005	Examiner:	Michael S. Andler
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For:	SECURITY LABEL AND METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF		

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION
OF NOVEMBER 5, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the outstanding Office action dated November 5, 2008 in the above-identified application. In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

AMENDMENT

In the Specification

The specification is amended as shown in the Substitute Specification. A marked-up copy showing the changes in the Substitute Specification is provided herewith. No new matter is introduced by way of the Substitute Specification.

In the Claims

The claims are amended as shown on the following pages under the heading AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS. The list shows the status of all claims presently in the application and is intended to supersede all prior versions of the claims in the application. Any cancellation of claims is made without prejudice or disclaimer.